## AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please revise specification page 1, lines 7-8, as follows:

The present invention relates to a method of generating pressure pulses in accordance with the <u>below disclosure</u> preamble of patent claim 1.

Please revise specification page 1, lines 10-11, as follows:

[[It]] The invention also relates to a pressure pulse generator according to the preamble of patent claim 11, and a piston engine provided therewith.

Please revise specification page 11, lines 1-3, as follows:

Further features and advantages of the invention will be disclosed in the following, detailed description—and in the remaining patent claims.

Please revise specification page 22, lines 11-18, as follows:

Moreover, pilot valves that are not directly driven by a solenoid, but that are indirectly controlled through a solenoid-activated valve body may replace or supplement anyone of the means that have been described above for the opening/interrupting of the communication be tween the parts of the chamber or between each individual part and the high pressure source or the low pressure source respectively. Such solutions have to be regarded as being within the scope of the invention, as defined in the annexed patent claims.